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### PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Naoya Hasegawa, Eiji Umetsu, Masamichi Saito and Yosuke Ide for Magnetic Detecting Element Having Antiferromagnetic Film Having Predetermined Space in Track Width Direction and Method for Manufacturing the Same.

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ 150 pages of application (including title page and Abstract), 55 sheets of formal drawings and the following Appendices: n/a
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application
- ☒ Assignment transmittal letter and Assignment of the invention to: Alps Electric Co., Ltd.
- ☒ Submission of Certified Copies of Priority Documents and certified copies of Japanese Application Nos. 2002-293350 and 2003-048716
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449, and references A1-A5

Claims as Filed	Col. 1	Col. 2
For	No. Filed	No. Extra
Basic Fee		
Total Claims	31-20	11
Indep. Claims	1-3	0
Multiple Dependent Claims Present		

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x\$42=	\$
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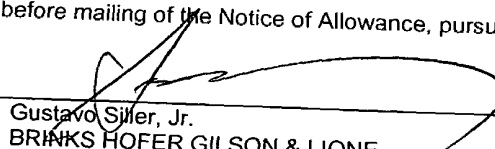
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x\$84=	\$
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Total	\$948

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